Circular No. 2168—1058, *dated 20th February* 1917.

To—All Drawers of Bills in Form No. Fin. 101 A. and Deputy Commissioners, Treasury Departments, of Districts.

The salaries of the marginally noted officers on Provincial Scales of Establishment are now being drawn on separate bills in Form No. Finl. 101A. and not on those on which the pay and allowances of the establishments—clerical and menial—working under them are drawn. Government have, in their Order No. Fl. 4521-70—G. F. 155-16-2, dated 14th February 1917, directed that this practice should be changed and that the salaries of these officers should, in future, be included and drawn in the regular establishment bills in Form, Finl. 19. The undersigned has the honor to request that this new procedure sanctioned by Government be brought into effect commencing with the bills for February 1917, presented for payment on or after 1st March 1917. According to the new procedure there should be but one bill prepared in Form No. Finl. 19 for each establishment concerned and it should include the pay and allowance of the officers noted above and also of the members of their establishments. Separate bills for the above officers in Form No. Finl. 101A. should not hereafter be cashed by Treasuries.

Excise Inspectors.
Sub-Registrars.
Police Inspectors.
Educational Officers on progressive pay ranging from Rs. 50 to 150.
Sub-Assistant Surgeons.
Lady Apothecaries.
District Sanitary Assistants.
Deputy Inspectors of Vaccination.
Veterinary Inspectors and Assistant Veterinary Inspectors.
Agricultural Inspectors.

Circular No. 2169—*T. A.* 73, *dated 5th March* 1917.

To—The Deputy Commissioners of Districts (Treasury and other Departments), and Heads of Departments.

The Government have ordered that the system of pre-audit of travelling allowance bills be discontinued. The new procedure of presenting travelling allowance bills to the treasury for encashment without audit by this office will come into force from 1st April 1917.

2. The new procedure does not apply to the travelling allowance bills of Gazetted Officers and Establishments at Bangalore which will continue to be subject to pre-audit and paid by cheques issued from this office as soon as possible after submission of the bills.

3. All travelling allowance bills for the months beginning with March 1917, will be cashed at the treasury without pre-audit by this office but those for any previous period should be submitted to this office for pre-audit. Treasury Officers will not cash travelling allowance bills for any month previous to March 1917 unless they have been pre-audited and passed for payment by this office as hitherto.

4. Travelling allowance bills of Gazetted Officers and Establishments can be presented for encashment only at the treasuries which cash their salary and pay bills and not at any other treasury.

5. The preparation of travelling allowance bills and their examination by Drawing and Countersigning Officers require great care to prevent unnecessary objections and recoveries of amounts unauthorisedly drawn.

6. Travelling allowance bills requiring countersignature should be duly countersigned by Controlling Officers before being presented to the treasury for encashment.

7. The attention of the Countersigning Officers is invited to Article 644, Mysore Service Regulations. As regards the responsibilities of the Drawing, Countersigning and Treasury Officers reference is invited to Article 13, Civil Account Code.

M. N. KRISHNA RAO,
Officiating Comptroller.

INSURANCE.

THE MYSORE STATE LIFE INSURANCE—FAMILY PENSION BRANCH.

Dated 15th October 1914.

As sanctioned in Government Order No. Fl. 4906—B. 33-09-6, dated 18th March 1911, a Family Pension Branch was started as an adjunct to the Mysore State Life Insurance Scheme under separate Rules and has been in operation from August 1911. All employees of the Government who are eligible for life insurance may secure substantial pensions to their parents, wife, children and certain other relations by paying additional monthly subscriptions. For example an employee whose present age is twenty-five years, may secure a life pension of Rs. 5 payable from the date of his death, to his wife whose present age is 18, by paying a monthly subscription of Rs. 1-7-9. Similarly a monthly pension of Rs. 5 payable from the date of death of the subscriber to the date on which his son attains his 21st year or his

daughter attains her 18th year or marries, may be secured to a son or daughter whose present age is 5 years, by paying a monthly subscription of Re. 0-11-7.

As a concrete instance of the benefits of the fund, the following case may be mentioned. An officer joined the Family Pension Branch as a subscriber in August 1913, the monthly subscription payable by him being Rs. 17-10-10. He died in September 1914, having paid subscriptions to the extent of Rs. 230. The following pensions are payable to his nominees :—

Monthly. Mother Rs. 10, wife Rs. 20, both for life. Each of his 4 daughters Rs. 10, till they attain their 18th year or marry.

There are reasons to believe that the existence of this Branch of the State Life Insurance Office and its benefits are not known to many Government employees. Every one interested is requested to obtain a copy of detailed rules by applying to the Secretary to the Mysore State Life Insurance Committee, Bangalore.

INSURANCE COMMITTEE.

COPY OF NOTICE.

The Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore have been pleased to extend to non-official persons domiciled in the territories of Mysore, the Mysore State Life Insurance Scheme, which was hitherto confined to the State officials. This new State Public Insurance Scheme provides for the issue to men and women of four kinds of policies namely :—

1. Whole Life Assurance.
2. Whole Life Assurance by limited payment.
3. Endowment Assurance.
4. Children's Endowment.

Persons who desire to avail themselves of the advantages of this Insurance Scheme are requested to send up proposals for Insurance. Copies of proposal forms are available at all the District and Taluk Treasuries, and the Office of the Secretary, State Life Insurance Committee, Bangalore, and will be supplied free on application. For further information regarding Rules and Rates, application should be made to the Secretary, Insurance Committee.

M. N. KRISHNA RAO,
Secretary, Insurance Committee.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Notice Pol. No. 1771—*Judl.* 16-17, *dated* 12—13*th March* 1917.

Whereas the town of Melkote in the French Rocks Sub-Taluk is infected with plague and whereas large bodies of persons are likely to assemble at the place on account of the Vairamudi jatra, which takes place there from the 26th March 1917 to 7th April 1917, both days inclusive, the District Magistrate of Mysore in exercise of the powers vested in him by Section 42 (1) of the Mysore Police Regulation, 1908, hereby prescribes the following regulations to be observed by the residents of the said town of Melkote and by persons present thereat or repairing thereto :—

(1) No houses, shops or other buildings within the Municipal limits of Melkote shall be occupied or let for occupation unless the same shall have been thoroughly disinfected to the satisfaction of the Vice-President of the Municipality, from whom a certificate to that effect should be obtained: This regulation applies also to houses which have not been evacuated but are at present under occupation.

(2) Hotels, coffee clubs and sheds or tents for dramatic performances or other public entertainments will be allowed only outside the limits of the Municipality.

(3) No persons from outside will be allowed to open any temporary sheds, stalls or booths within the Municipal limits.

(4) The owners or persons in charge of mantaps, chatrams, temples and other buildings usually resorted to by the public shall be bound to have such buildings thoroughly disinfected to the satisfaction of the Vice-President of the Municipal Council and obtain a certificate from him.

II. Any person contravening or abetting the contravention of any of the above regulations will be liable to be prosecuted under Section 71 of the Mysore Police Regulation.

M. VENKATESA IYENGAR,
For *District Magistrate.*